

In re PATENT application of: **Xiao Bing Wang**

Serial No: **09/862,417**

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Title: **ISOMETRIC PRIMER EXTENSION
METHOD AND KIT FOR DETECTION
AND QUANTIFICATION OF SPECIFIC
NUCLEIC ACID**

Confirmation No.: **8468**

Examiner: **Chakrabarti, Arun K.**

Group No.: **1634**

Docket No.: **122001-1050**

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